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16. [ ] BRIEFING Mark Moran, in the office of Senator John Tunney (D., Calif.), called advising that he and another staffer were going to Angola this weekend to assess the situation and requested a briefing [ ]

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17. [ ] LIAISON In response to his call, a list of the people who we believe will be testifying before the Senate Government Operations Committee on congressional oversight was sent to Jim Oliver, OMB.

18. [ ] LIAISON Charles Lombard, Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee staff, called wanting to know what the highest post [ ] held while he worked for the Agency. After checking with [ ] OP, I passed on the information [ ] and he will call Lombard.

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19. [ ] LIAISON Don Henderson, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called on a request from Bill Bader, Senate Select Committee staff, for the Agency's reply to a 20 February 1967 letter from Senator J. W. Fulbright (D., Ark.) on the Agency's [ ] I told Henderson that we would check our Archives and since the Committee has misplaced the 20 February letter we would provide a copy of it also if we can locate it.

20. [ ] HEARINGS Allison Brenner, Subcommittee on Investigations, House International Relations Committee staff, called to arrange a session with Mr. Thomas Polgar on the last days of Vietnam. I said I assumed that they would be satisfied with anyone who would be knowledgeable of the subject and she agreed.

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21. (Internal Use Only - LLM) LIAISON I reviewed with Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, the request from Joyce Shub, of the Committee staff, for the NIE [redacted] and my intent to offer instead a briefing for Representative Lester Wolff (D., N.Y.) and Ms. Shub, if necessary, and he concurred in this approach.

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I also alerted him to the call from Allison Brenner, Subcommittee on Investigations, House International Relations Committee staff, regarding Mr. Thomas Polgar appearing before the Subcommittee on the final days of Vietnam.

22. (Unclassified - LLM) LIAISON In the company of Messrs. Scott Breckinridge and [redacted] Review Staff, and John Warner, OGC, met with Bill Harris, Consultant to the Senate Select Committee, to discuss various legislative proposals.

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23. (Unclassified - LLM) LIAISON In the company of Messrs. [redacted] John Warner, OGC, and [redacted] Review Staff, met with a large number of Senate Select Committee staffers for several hours and reviewed their proposed oversight legislation. Among the features objected to were the duty to advise of all intelligence activities on a full and current basis, annual authorization, suggestion of a program as opposed to a financial audit by GAO. We pushed the necessity to spell out procedures for responsible handling of sensitive information, the incorporation of criminal deterrents legislation, using the model followed in connection with the Atomic Energy Act setting up the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, and the necessity to make clear the exclusivity of jurisdiction with respect to sensitive matters, including reporting on covert actions.

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9. [ ] LIAISON Received a call from Vince Morelli, in the office of Representative Jack Kemp (R., N.Y.) and arranged to meet with him Thursday at 10:00 a.m. to discuss congressional oversight.

10. [ ] LEGISLATION Called Phyllis Bacon, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, to answer her question of last week regarding the Defense Reorganization Act of 1958. I informed her that the 1958 Act did not affect CIA. 25X1

12. [ ] LEGISLATION Called Jim Oliver, OMB, to again urge him to do what he could to get our package on intelligence sources and methods cleared for transmittal.

13. [ ] LIAISON Jack Brady, House International Relations Committee staff, called to update himself on the interests of Representatives Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) and Paul Findley (R., Ill.) on Israeli economy. I told him we had sent up some articles from past Congressional Check Lists but had not been requested to brief the Congressmen.

14. [ ] LIAISON Bernie Engel, Congressional Relations, Department of State, called in connection with an earlier call from Kempton Jenkins, State Department, concerning the publication of a listing of briefings provided Congress on Angola. I told him we would have an answer soonest.

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15. (Internal Use Only - LLM) LIAISON Called Joyce Shub, House International Relations Committee staff, concerning the request of Representative Lester Wolff (D., N.Y.) for an NIE [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] I told her we do not handle NIE's in this fashion but suggested instead a briefing for the Congressman. In response to her query if [REDACTED] the analyst who wrote the NIE, would be the briefer, I made no commitment but assured her it would be a qualified individual. Ms. Shub said that she would check with the Congressman on Monday, 19 January and let us know.

16. (Unclassified - BAA) LIAISON Cindy Szady, in the office of Representative Lucien Nedzi (D., Mich.), called and asked if we had a copy of the transcript of the Agronsky program of last Tuesday featuring David Phillips and Kenneth Osborne, of Counterspy. I told her I would check. A copy will be sent tomorrow morning.

17. (Unclassified - DLW) FOIA Called Jo Ann Welsh in Senator Henry Bellmon's (R., Okla.) office, in regard to the Freedom of Information request of [REDACTED] I informed Ms. Welsh that [REDACTED] request had been misdirected and forwarding to the action office had been delayed. I also stated that this case would be handled as expeditiously as possible and that [REDACTED] Information and Privacy Coordinator, would be in direct contact with [REDACTED] Ms. Welsh said she appreciated me contacting her in regard to this matter. I told her we would inform their office when this case had been completed.

18. (Unclassified - PLC) LEGISLATION Received a call from Ann Stone, OMB, clearing the changes for forwarding to the Senate Labor and Public Welfare Subcommittee on Health, the Agency's comments on S. 2515, establishing a commission to regulate human experimentation.

19. (Unclassified - PLC) LEGISLATION Met with Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and informed him that Representative Robert Michel (R., Ill.), had contacted the Agency and expressed strong support of the Agency's proposed legislation to protect intelligence sources and methods and stated that he would wish to introduce the bill. Slatinshek confirmed that Chairman Melvin Price (D., Ill.) will introduce the bill as Chairman. He felt this was best since it might be considered political if Michel introduced the bill as he is a ranking Republican.

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